

Dear Millie

Many thanks. Your letter rec¹. I am not wise in regard to horse ball and do not understand all the terms, but suppose it is as good as anything else to enable boys to let off steam without getting into mischief. I've sent up this week a programme of the amusements at the Pic Nic of the first camp. They consisted of, hopping races vi. f. races with feet tied together in which Joe won a foot ball as a prize; three legged races in which two boys had a leg of each tied together in which he won something as either, and egg races in which they have an egg laid in a spoon and held the spoon by the handle and run, when the egg rolls out they are out. etc, etc.

I shall send you tomorrow another chequian. I have made but the two. I had just cut out enough for that in the house and I did not want to get another piece just now. You can charge with these

and if you need an extra
you can use one of the
old ones. I dont feel at all
pleased that you have not
finished up your new suit
and had it to wear when
you go down to Oaklared
to be there over the Sabbath.
I dont like you to be shabby,
and especially when there
is no necessity for it. I shall
send you same time next
week that new suit that
I have made, but I dont
get on very fast with
sewing. I have had too much
company. Will send those
patterns for the girls soon.
I will send a piece like
your new dress to Cousin Louie
and get her to send you
ribbon. When Cousin John
was up here she was speaking
of that Greek testament and I
spoke in such a way that I said
to him, You miss it do you not?
He said he did, and added
that he supposed you had
it with you. I honestly
answered that you had.
I have since found that you
had not. Now I propose to send
it down to you next week, and
I want you to take it down to
him; and I dont want you
to tell him that you have another
for he would not enjoy the idea.